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#### **SUMMARY**

- Excellent verbal and written communication skills. Effective in communicating technical materials.
- Excellent analytical/organizational/leadership skills. Experienced network system researcher/developer.
- Superb public speaking/presentation skills. Dedicated, sensible and thorough. Effective working in teams.
- U.S Citizenship. Equally fluent and proficient in English and Chinese. Well-traveled. Willing to relocate.

#### **EDUCATION**

#### **PhD Computer Science**

**June 2006** 

University of California Los Angeles

Dissertation: "Enabling Ubiquitous Data Services in Heterogeneous Wireless Networks"

Advisor: Dr. Mario Gerla, Major and Minor GPA: 3.95/4.00

#### M.S. Computer Science

Jan 2003

University of California Los Angeles

Advisor: Dr. Mario Gerla

# **B.S. Computer Science and Engineering with Honors**

June 2001

University of California Los Angeles

# WORK EXPERIENCE

# Tianjin University, China -Visiting Professor

July06-Oct06

- Lectured two graduate level courses (Computer Networking and Network Security).
- Held regular seminars at Tianjin University CS Department. Advised various research efforts.

#### **UCLA Network Research Lab- Research Assistant**

Mar03-June06

- Led various research and development efforts on wireless multimedia/data services, including:
  - \* ZigBee wireless mesh solution for home/factory automation/control.
  - \* Seamless vertical handoff solution that ensures uninterrupted wireless content services.
  - \* Accurate capacity estimation techniques that allows more efficient data services to wireless users.
- Designed/Implemented the following schemes/tools/demos:
  - \* Wireless DTN storage overlay system. Accurate capacity estimation in multi-hop wireless networks.
  - \* Seamless vertical handoff solution for uninterrupted wireless content delivery.
  - \* Video/audio streaming between wireless AdHoc network and the Internet.
  - \* ZigBee/IEEE 802.15.4 standards and related enhancements on embedded devices.
  - \* Accurate capacity estimation on asymmetric links and high speed links.
- Advised/guided numerous graduate and undergraduate students with their research. Individually supervised 10 graduate students with their Master project, and 6 undergraduates with their individual research class.

#### Northrop Grumman - Software Engineer

Oct02-Sept03

- Developed/implemented portions of an aerial mission planning system.
- Co-developed/Implemented a Change Management (CM) process for the division.
- Recruited/Referred six full-time software engineers to the mission system department.

#### Northrop Grumman -Software Engineering Intern

July02-Oct02

- Evaluated existing software product, provided feedbacks and suggestions to management.
- Led comparative evaluations of software development environments, automated testing tools, and version
  control software. Suggestion resulted in a group wide adaptation of the recommended tools.

### UCLA File Mobility Group-Undergraduate Research Assistant

Oct00-March01

Investigated the behaviors of RIP and BGP routers. Studied various approaches on DDOS preventions.

#### Cisco Systems- ELB Catalyst 6000 Enterprise Switches-Software Intern

July00-Oct00

- Investigated the intricacies of SCSI over IP, Fiber Channels, and other related SAN strategies.
- Worked with the creator of ISCSI protocol to design, expand, and developed an ISCSI testing program to verify the correctness of the ISCSI protocol.

# Web Consulting

**July99-Oct 99** 

■ Worked closely with marketing management to define/design/setup the company website for Galvantech¹ and Warpcom². ¹ Galvantech Inc. and ² WarpCom Technologies both merged with Cypress Semiconductor.

### WarpCom Technologies-Hardware Engineering Intern <sup>2</sup>

June98-Oct 98

- Worked on OrCAD schematics and PCB board layouts for an 8-port 10/100 Ethernet switch.
- Worked to verified the correctness of an 8-port 10/100 auto-sensing Ethernet switch controller.

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# TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Excellent understanding of various wired/wireless network technologies at all layers.
- Excellent programming skills in C/C++, C#, Perl, ASP, XML, PHP, HTML, Java on Linux/Unix/Windows Platforms. Solid experience with NS2 and Qualnet network simulators.
- Solid with in 802.11a/b/g (Wifi), 802.15.1(Bluetooth), 802.15.3(UWB), 802.15.4(ZigBee), 802.16(WiMax).
- Knowledgeable of programming and debugging embedded devices (wireless motes).
- Excellent in preparing and presenting technical materials. Published over 30+ technical articles.

#### TEACHING/ LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

#### **Tianjin University -Visiting Professor**

- Lectured two graduate level courses: Computer Networks (40 Hours) and Network Security (40 Hours).
- Prepared lectures and planned various course logistics. Concurrently managed four Teaching Assistants.

# UCLA Computer Science Department -Master Project/Undergraduate Research Mentor

- Advised/guided Master's projects. Served as research mentor to various undergraduates.
- Coordinated weekly meetings to discuss/monitor project progress and directions (Fall03-Spring06)
- Supervised a total of 10 Master Students with their Master comprehensive projects,
- Advised/guided a total of 6 undergraduate students through their individual research class.

## **UCLA Computer Science Department - Course Project Mentor**

- Project mentor for CS218-Advanced Computer Networks (Fall03,04,05).
- Advised and guided 7 project teams (2-3 person teams) with their research, coordinated weekly meetings to monitor team progress, advised on project approach and suggest project direction.

#### **UCLA Computer Science Department - Teaching Associate/Fellow**

- Head TA of CSM152B- Digital Design Laboratory (Fall03-Winter05).
- Led discussion sessions and lecture, prepared course agenda/syllabus, coordinated and created projects/midterms, graded projects/midterms, held office hours, coordinated efforts between different class sections, trained new Teaching Assistants, and provided documentation for course accreditation.

### Department of Computer Science and Mathematics, UCLA- Teaching Assistant

- CS130-Software Engineering (Winter02), PIC60- Data Structures and Algorithms (Winter03), CSM152B-Digital Design Laboratory (Spring03).
- Prepare weekly discussion material and agenda, led class discussion, held office hours, graded and prepared homework/projects/exams, worked closely with instructor to coordinate discussion materials.

#### **UCLA Computer Science Department- Course Reader**

- CS111- Operating System (Spring01), CS143- Database Management (Spring02), CS180- Algorithm and Complexity (Spring02).
- Discussed homework solutions with instructor & teaching assistants. Graded homework/projects.

#### HONORS/ AWARDS

- Graduate Student Assistantship, UCLA, 2002-2006
- USENIX MobiSys Stipend Award, USENIX, 2005
- Computer Science Department (CSD) Research Review First Place Poster Award, UCLA, 2004
- Dean's Honor List, UCLA, 1997-2001
- Paul Lane Scholarship, UCLA, 2001
- Altera University Scholarship, UCLA, 2000
- Eugene Birnbaum Scholarship, UCLA, 2000
- Taxaco Scholarship, UCLA, 2000
- Audrey & James Gilstrap Scholarship, UCLA, 1999
- Audrey & James Gilstrap Scholarship, UCLA, 1998
- Class Valedictorian, Piedmont Hills High School, 1997

# SELECTED PUBLICATION

## **Journal and Book Chapter**

- Ling-Jyh Chen, Tony Sun, Guang Yang, M. Y. Sanadidi, and Mario Gerla. AdHoc Probe: End to end Capacity Probing in Ad Hoc Networks. To appear in Wireless Networks (WINET), Springer.
- Guang Yang, Ling-Jyh Chen, Tony Sun, Mario Gerla, and M. Y. Sanadidi. Smooth and Efficient Real-time Video Transport in Presence of Wireless Errors. Accepted by ACM Transactions on Multimedia Computing, Communications and Applications (ACM TOMCCAP).
- Ling-Jyh Chen, Tony Sun, Guang Yang, M. Y. Sanadidi, and Mario Gerla. *Monitoring Access Link Capacity Using TFRC Probe*. Accepted by the Computer Communications Journal (ComCom), Special Issue on Monitoring and Measurements of IP Networks.
- Mario Gerla, Ling-Jyh Chen, Tony Sun, and Guang Yang. *Ubiquitous Video Streaming: A System Perspective*. Advances in Pervasive Computing and Networking (ISBN: 0387230424), pp 197-212, B. Szymanski and B. Yener (Eds.), Springer, 2005.

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#### **Conference Paper**

- Tony Sun, Ling-Jyh Chen, Nia-Chiang Liang, Ping-Chieh Chen, and Mario Gerla. Evaluating Mobility Support ZigBee Network. In submission.
- Ling-Jyh Chen, Tony Sun, and Yung-Chih Chen. Improving Bluetooth EDR Data Throughput Using FEC and Interleaving. The Second International Conference on Mobile Ad Hoc and Sensor Networks (MSN'06), Hong Kong, 2006.
- Guang Yang, Ling-Jyh Chen, Tony Sun, Biao Zhou, and Mario Gerla. Ad-hoc Storage Overlay System
  (ASOS): A Delay-Tolerant Approach in MANETs. The Third IEEE International Conference on Mobile Ad-hoc and Sensor Systems (MASS'06), Vancouver, Canada, 2006.
- Nia-Chiang Liang, Ping-Chieh Chen, Tony Sun, Guang Yang, Ling-Jyh Chen, and Mario Gerla. *Impact of Node Heterogeneity in ZigBee Mesh Network Routing*. The 2006 IEEE International Conference on Systems, Man, and Cybernetics (SMC'06), Taipei, Taiwan, 2006.
- Ling-Jyh Chen, Chen-Hung Yu, Tony Sun, Yung-Chih Chen, and Hao-hua Chu. *A Hybrid Routing Approach for Opportunistic Networks*. The 2006 ACM SIGCOMM Workshop on Challenged Networks (CHANTS'06), Pisa, Italy, 2006.
- Ling-Jyh Chen, Tony Sun, Li Lao, Guang Yang, M. Y. Sanadidi, and Mario Gerla. Estimating Link Capacity in High Speed Networks. IFIP Networking 2006, Coimbra, Portugal, 2006.
- Tony Sun, Ling-Jyh Chen, Chih-Chieh Han, Guang Yang, Mario Gerla. Path Capacity Estimation in IEEE 802.15.4 Enabled Wireless Sensor Network via SenProbe. Demo Paper. The 2006 IEEE Consumer Communications and Networking Conference, Las Vegas, USA, 2006.
- Tony Sun, Ling-Jyh Chen, Chih-Chieh Han, Guang Yang, and Mario Gerla. Measuring Effective Capacity of IEEE 802.15.4 Beaconless Mode. IEEE Wireless Communications and Networking Conference 2006 (WCNC'06), Las Vegas, USA, 2006.
- Tony Sun, Ling-Jyh Chen, Guang Yang, M. Y. Sanadidi, and Mario Gerla. SenProbe: Path Capacity Estimation in Wireless Sensor Networks. The Third International Workshop on Measurement, Modelling, and Performance Analysis of Wireless Sensor Networks (SenMetrics'05, in conjunction with MobiQuitous'05), San Diego, USA, 2005.
- Tony Sun, Guang Yang, Ling-Jyh Chen, M. Y. Sanadidi, and Mario Gerla. A Measurement Study of Path Capacity in 802.11b based Wireless Networks. The Wireless Traffic Measurements and Modeling Workshop (WiTMeMo'05, in conjunction with MobiSys'05), Seattle, USA, 2005.
- Ling-Jyh Chen, Tony Sun, Guang Yang, M. Y. Sanadidi, and Mario Gerla. AdHoc Probe: Path Capacity Probing in Wireless Ad Hoc Networks. The first IEEE International Conference on Wireless Internet (WICON'05), Budapest, Hungary, 2005.
- Guang Yang, Ling-Jyh Chen, Tony Sun, Mario Gerla, and M. Y. Sanadidi. Real-time Streaming over Wireless Links: A Comparative Study. The 10th IEEE Symposium on Computers and Communications (ISCC'05), Cartagena, Spain, 2005.
- Ling-Jyh Chen, Tony Sun, Guang Yang, M. Y. Sanadidi, and Mario Gerla. End-to-end Asymmetric Link Capacity Estimation. IFIP Networking 2005, Waterloo, Ontario, Canada, 2005.
- Tony Sun, Ling-Jyh Chen, Chih-Chieh Han, and Mario Gerla. Reliable Sensor Networks for Planet Exploration. The 2005 IEEE International Conference on Networking, Sensing and Control (ICNSC'05), Tucson, USA, 2005.
- Ling-Jyh Chen, Tony Sun, Benny Chen, Venkatesh Rajendran, and Mario Gerla. A Smart Decision Model for Vertical Handoff. The 4th ANWIRE International Workshop on Wireless Internet and Reconfigurability (ANWIRE'04, in conjunction with IFIP Networking'04), Athens, Greece, 2004.
- Ling-Jyh Chen, Tony Sun, M. Y. Sanadidi, and Mario Gerla. *Improving Wireless Link Throughput via Interleaved FEC*. The Ninth IEEE Symposium on Computers and Communications (ISCC'04), Alexandria, Egypt, 2004.

#### OTHER INTERESTS

 Traveling, Triathlon, Windsurfing, Racquetball, Badminton, Backpacking, Sailing, Tennis, Surfing, Golf, Kayaking, Bowling, Piano, Violin, Chess/Go.

#### **REFERENCES**

- Professor Mario Gerla (gerla@cs.ucla.edu)
- More references available upon request

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